

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 66 and 113 as follows:

66. (currently amended) Footwear with an upper and a sole construction having an outsole , in which:
the upper is constructed with an outer material having an inner side and an outer side and with a waterproof functional layer at least partially lining the outer material on the inner side [of the latter] and having an upper end region [on the sole side] with an outer-material end region and a functional-layer end region ;
the functional-layer end region has a region requiring sealing; and
the outsole is adhesively bonded to the upper end region by means of outsole cement located on it, the outsole cement being formed at least in a subregion of the outsole lying opposite the region requiring sealing of the functional-layer end region by a reactive hot-melt adhesive which brings about waterproofness when in the fully reacted state.

90. (original) Footwear according to Claim 66, in which the outsole essentially has turned-up edges with a flat tread region and a border rising up from the latter in an essentially perpendicular direction.

93. (original) Footwear according to Claim 66, in which at least part of the reactive hot-melt adhesive located on the outsole is formed by an expanded reactive hot-melt adhesive.

112. (original) Outsole which can be cemented onto an upper of footwear, the top side of the said sole, to be adhesively attached to the upper, being provided at least partially with non-reacted reactive hot-melt adhesive which brings about waterproofness when in the fully reacted state.

113. (currently amended) Process for the production of footwear, having the following production steps:

a) an upper is created, constructed with an outer material having an inner side and an outer side and with a waterproof functional layer at least partially lining the outer material on the inner side [of the latter] and provided with an upper end region [on the sole side];

b) the outer material is provided with an outer-material end region [on the sole side] and the functional layer is provided with a functional-layer end region [on the sole side], a region requiring sealing being created at the functional-layer end region;

c) outsole cement is applied to an outsole and the outsole is adhesively attached to the upper end region, a reactive hot-melt adhesive which brings about waterproofness when in the fully reacted state being applied as outsole cement at least in a subregion of the outsole which lies opposite the region of the functional-layer end region requiring sealing after the adhesive attachment of the outsole.